

**DURHAM COUNTY WOMEN'S COMMISSION
MINUTES**

March 28, 2001

Present: Kate Green, Alice Baldwin, Rhonda Turner, Kim Thornton, Rebecca Bach, Veronica Hicks, Yolanda Mangum-Gordon, Linda Foreman

Welcome: Kate Green welcomed new members Alice Baldwin and Rhonda Turner; members introduced themselves in terms of their experiences and hopes for the DCWC.

Minutes: Approved as presented

Treasurer's Report: Balance is \$1382.73

Old Business

Kate announced that we have re-submitted our grant proposal to the county and are asking for part time staff support. Conversations with both Mike Ruffin and Mary Ann Black supported the idea of asking for support or sharing support given another county office.

Kim reviewed the mail received: letter from Paul Miller following the legislative day; invitation and nomination form to the Elna B. Spaulding Award Dinner.

Re: Hispanic recruitment: Rebecca announced some progress with El Centro; Alice Baldwin may be able to help.

Re: screening day and Health Department; Yolanda will follow up with Health Department; there seems to be some uncertainty re: who will take overall responsibility for the event.

New Business

Discussion was held around the idea of a forum focusing on financial planning for women. Members were enthusiastic about this idea. This will be further discussed next month.

NEXT MEETING: Wed, April 25 6 PM